

Table # 11	Racial/Ethnic Minorities
<p>Challenge 1</p> <p>Acceptance</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪Solution: Cultural Education Events ▪Solution: Specific Ethnic workshops within their community. ▪Using “Wellness” instead of “Mental Health” or “Behavior Health” – Less Threatening.
<p>Challenge 2</p> <p>Access</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪Solution: Different & Multiple Cultural Education for Clinicians in Community care settings. ▪Solution: Mobile Clinic with free assessment possible funding through pharmaceutical companies.

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<p>Challenge 1</p> <p>What are some of the challenges that professionals may encounter when working with Racial/ Ethnic Minorities (in providing mental health services)?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪Solution – promote “211” and/or creating web portal -making them accessible to serve as the ultimate resource directory with clarity in languages & cultural competencies ▪Solution – Medical access to the minorities to minimize the effects of depression and suicide risk. ▪Cultural and linguistic compatibilities utilizing video conferencing strategies.
<p>Challenge 2</p> <p>What may be some of the reasons and challenges, including stigma, that impede Racial and Ethnic minorities from seeking mental health services?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪Solution – Educate through faith based and existing community groups. ▪Solution – use more technology strategies in their language with cultural sensitivity. ▪Solution - Training of educators and faith based organizations via new technology.